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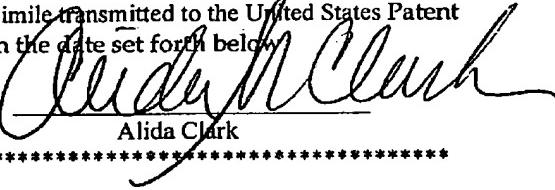
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Applicant:	Steinman <i>et al.</i>	Examiner:	G. R. Ewoldt
Date Filed:	January 15, 2002	Conf. No.	7452
Docket No.	MER011CT	Cust. No.	43852
Title:	METHOD AND COMPOSITIONS FOR OBTAINING MATURE DENDRITIC CELLS		

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated *May 19, 2006* (hereinafter "Office Action") for which a response is due August 19, 2006, please reconsider the above-identified application in light of the following remarks:

**Listing of the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on *page 2* of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on *page 4* of this paper.

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**Urgent**     **Per your request**     **For review**     **Please comment**     **Reply requested**

Attached please find an Amendment Transmittal and an Amendment in Response to an Office Action dated May 19, 2006, submitted herewith on August 17, 2006.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response in the above-identified patent application.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR §1.27.  
 No additional fee is required.  
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(COL. 1)		(COL. 2)	(COL. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
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Indep	1	3	= 0	x =	\$ 0	x 200=	\$ 0
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Respectfully submitted,



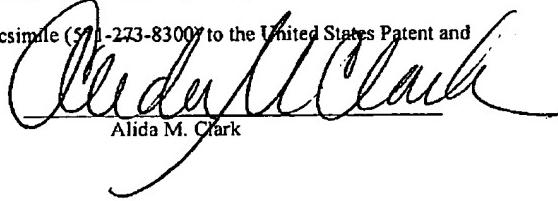
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